

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Ronald A. Braco

Art Unit: 3692

Application No.: 09/852,119

Examiner: Ojo O. Oyesbisi

Filed: May 9, 2001

For: ELECTRONIC BILL PRESENTMENT  
AND PAYMENT SYSTEM

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE  
EXAMINER TO THE  
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed April 18, 2007, rejecting the following claims: 1-26 and 31-34.

The items checked below are appropriate:

**1. Status of Applicants**

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

**2. Fee for Filing Notice of Appeal**

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is for: ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

**Notice of Appeal Fee due    \$500.00**

<b><i>CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8</i></b>			
I hereby certify that this Notice Of Appeal and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office via the Electronic Filing System.			
<i>Name (Print/Type)</i>	Vicki Lawler		
<i>Signature</i>	/Vicki Lawler/	<i>Date</i>	July 12, 2007

**3. Extension of Time**

- ☐ Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$60.00.
- ☐ An extension for one month has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$60.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total amounts of extension now requested.
- ☒ Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

**Extension fee due with this request: \$**

**4. Total Fee Due**

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal Fee	\$500.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$ 0.00

**Total Fee Due: \$500.00**

**5. Fee Payment**

- ☒ Charge Account No. 50-3505 the sum of \$500.00.

**6. Fee Deficiency**

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 50-3505.

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